



RMP-3

Rhythm Coach

Availability: May **RRP:** £99

Technology meets education in the most advanced, useful and friendly rhythm-training instrument to date. The RMP-3 Rhythm Coach feels good, looks good, and is loaded with rhythmic exercises and timekeeping tools. With the pad and brain self-contained in one moulded piece, this new rhythm trainer offers the utmost in portability and convenience.

The RMP-3 is outfitted with a tunable mesh pad for realistic and quiet performance. A small pickup is mounted inside the pad, enabling you to monitor your playing through headphones along with the metronome and coaching audio. A built-in speaker is also provided for monitoring. External audio from CD players, MP3 players, and other audio devices can be incorporated into practice sessions thanks to the RMP-3's Mix In jack. You can position the RMP-3 on your lap, a tabletop or mount it on a stand such as Roland's PDS-2.

The RMP-3's built-in Rhythm Coach makes practice fun, and will challenge you in a friendly way with functions such as Time Check, Auto Up/Down, and the new Stroke Balance mode for developing a consistent sticking technique.

The unit's large LCD screen makes instructional information clear and easy to read. Large buttons and a clearly labelled front panel also make using the RMP-3 a breeze.

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- Metronome and pad combined in one piece
- Quiet and adjustable eight-inch pad
- Built-in Rhythm Coach training features and metronome
- LCD with two LEDs
- 24 beat types and 18 rhythm types
- Five metronome sounds
- Large onscreen tempo display
- Internal pickup for monitoring through headphones
- Mix In jack for playing along with CD players